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Since our laſt arrived three Holland Mails.

From the London Gazette, Jan. 10.

Hambourg, Jan. 6.

LETTERS from Marſeilles of the 18th of December mention, that Part of the Spaniſh Troops, without any Specification of their Numbers, were then embarking off from thence, but that their Deſtination was not known.

Hambourg, Jan. 10. Capt. Rowzier, in his Britannick Majeſty's Sloop the Swallow, who convoyed into this River the Trade from Hull, and was detained here upwards of 4 Weeks by contrary Winds, put to Sea laſt Friday on his Return to England.

From Wye's Letter, London, Jan. 13.

'Tis written in a private Letter from the Hague of the 10th inſt. that Preparations for the opening of the Campaign are making there with the greateſt Reſolution.

We are informed that the Forces ordered for Flanders will be reviewed this Week by his Majeſty in the Middle Park, St. James's.

A Courier is hourly expected at St. James's from Flanders with ſome Diſpatches from the Allied Army in Provence of great Importance.

Yeſterday the Commons ordered ſeveral Accounts of the Deficiency of the Duties on licenſing ſpirituous Liquors; alſo of the additional Imports on Wines, and on the Duties on Glaſs, and of the half Subſidy of Tonnage and Poundage to be laid before them.

This Day Lord Lovat was brought from the Tower to the Bar of the Houſe of Lords, in order to deliver in his Anſwer to the Articles of Impeachment exhibited againſt him for High Treaſon, which he accordingly did. And after which preſented two Petitions; one, That his Cheſt or ſtrong Box might be delivered to him; the other, That one Mr. Fraſer might be permitted to attend him. The former was rejected, and he was then remanded back to the Tower.

From the General Evening Poſt, Jan. 13.

Extract from the laſt French Gazette received at the Hague.

By an Expreſs juſt arrived at Verſailles from Naples, the Court is informed that the King of Spain has wrote with his own Hand to the King of the Two Sicilies, that he invariably perſiſts in his firſt Reſolution of adhering ſtrictly to his Alliances. — His Catholick Majeſty, we are aſſured, will never enter into any ſeparate Accommodation, ſince he has declared Don Joſeph de Carvajal his prime Miniſter, whoſe Sentiments have ever been for ſtrengthening the Union of the different Branches of the Houſe of Bourbon.—An Union which he regards as the only Mean of maintaining the Splendour and Power of that Houſe.

Our Leters from the Low Countries inform us, that the Allies have Orders to aſſemble at Maeſtricht; that they expect a numerous Train of Artillery, and will the Moment they receive it march directly to Antwerp, but that the neceſſary Diſpoſitions were making to check their Enterprize.

LONDON, *Jan. 13.*

The French and Spaniſh Troops that are embarked for Genoa (if not intercepted by the Engliſh Ships) will act with thoſe People againſt the Auſtrians, and put General Brown between two Fires.

The Revolters at Genoa have coined Money with the Device, *Senatus Populuſque Genuenſis.*

All our Letters of the lateſt Date, and of the beſt Authority, ſeem to intimate that Affairs cannot be puſhed with any great Spirit in Provence, till the Fate of the Genoeſe is determined.

From the London Evening Poſt, Jan. 13.

Naples Dec. 20. On the 18th an Expreſs arrived here with the News of an extraordinary Revolution which had happened at Genoa; whereupon a Grand Council was held at the Palace, and it is aſſured it was therein reſolved to ſend Succours to the Genoeſe, in Conformity to the Engagements entred into with that Republick. 'Tis ſince reported, that Orders have been diſpatched to the Frontiers to ſend from thence, with all Expedition a Body of 7 or 8000 Men through Tuſcany, into the Territory of Genoa; and this Corps, 'tis ſaid, will ſoon be followed by a much greater.

Extract of a Letter from the Camp under Savona, Dec. 21.

We look upon what has happened at Genoa as a concerted Thing. The Rebels have ſent a Miniſter to the Court of France, and another to that of Naples. The Doge and Senate hitherto look on, but are not deprived of their Dignities, though as to military Affairs they do nothing. The Chief of the Revolt manages theſe with a Council of twelve, choſen by, and from amongſt the Populace, and the Place where they aſſemble is called the Head Quarters. They have 30,000 Men in Arms, and liſt all they can, giving every new-rais'd Man two Sequins advance, and pay them regularly. They attempted to ſurprize us before the Surreder of this Fortreſs, but were eaſily repulſed.

Genoa, Dec. 24. After the Retreat of the Auſtrians from this City and San Pietro d'Arena, our firſt Care was to ſend Succours to Savona. For this Purpoſe, on the the 17th, in the Evening, four Gallies and an Armed Bark were ſent out in order to eſcorte ſeveral Tranſports

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with Troops on Board to Albuzuola. But ſcarce were they embarked before an Engliſh Squadron was ſeen, which obliged the Gallies to return into Port at Two in the Morning. As the Bark ſtaid out at Sea, the next Morning at Break of Day, the Sardinian Gallies were ſeen in Chace of her; but ſhe was happily diſingaged by our Gallies, which brought her into Port. We have ſince received the News of the Surrender of Savona on the 18th.

Care has been taken all along to inform the French Generals in Provence of whatever paſſed here; and while we wait for their taking neceſſary Meaſures to ſupport us, the Guards have been doubled in all the Places where we have Auſtrian Priſoners, who on the whole amount to about 4000, including 210 Officers. As the Engliſh Squadron appeared again before Savona on the 21ſt, we ſuppoſe it was in order to take on board Part of the heavy Artillery and Munitions found in that Place, and tranſport them to General Brown in Provence. At preſent we are very quiet here; but the Populace have ſtill their General Quarters at the Jeſuit College in the Street of Balbi, from whence all the Orders are iſſued. Sixty Companies, of 50 Men each, have been appointed for the Guard of the City, and the Inhabitants of Biſagno and Polſevera are always ready to come to their Aſſiſtance. The foreign Merchants and principal Citizens continue to retire out of the City, in order to take Shelter elſewhere.

Paris, Jan. 13. It is given out at Verſailles, That the Auſtrians have again laid Bridges over the Var, in order to ſecure their Retreat; and Wagers are laid, that they repaſs that River by the 1ſt of February. Private Letters confirm the Fact of laying Bridges, but give a very different Reaſon for it, viz. That ſince the Accident which has happened at Genoa, his Sardinian Majeſty has offered Count Brown a good Train of Artillery, which is to paſs over thoſe Bridges, as alſo a large Convoy of Proviſions from Sardinia. We ſtill expect great News from Genoa; and it is certain, that the Court has ſent thither a Marſhal de Camp, and four Colonels of great Experience, to diſcipline the Militia. The King of Spain, in the midſt of the greateſt Profeſſions of Sincerity to his Engagements, has given us in the Space of a Week, three Cauſes of Diſquiet. Firſt, in not ſending poſitive Orders for his Troops to join M. Belleiſle; next, in taking his Affairs out of our Hands, and appointing M. Manacas his Plenipotentiary at Breda; and, laſtly, in recalling the Walloon and Spaniſh Guards, under Pretence of wanting them at Madrid.

LONDON, *Jan.* 13.

The Accounts from Genoa are very indiſtinct, and perhaps not much to be depended on. Some Advices ſay, the Perſon at the Head of the Revolters is one of a good Family, and ſome Diſtinction. Others affirm his Name to be Spagnoletti, that he was a Shoemaker, that he voluntarily reſigned his Power to a Swiſs Officer, as more capable of it, and contented himſelf with the ſecond Command. The Day after the Retreat of the Auſtrians, ſome Body ſent this Man 100,000 Sequins in ready Money, which he cauſed to be immediately diſtributed amongſt his Partizans, in order to keep up their Spirits, and engage them to make a vigorous Defence.

We hear that the following Regiments are ordered to embark in a ſhort Time for Flanders, from different Ports, viz. Sir Robert Rich's Dragoons, his Royal Highneſs the Duke's Regiment of Dragoons, two Battalions of the Foot-Guards, Husk's Regiment of Foot, and Campbell's, Fleming's, Dejean's, Conway's, Howard's Regiments of Foot.

From the St. James's Evening Poſt, Jan. 13.

Ferrara, Dec. 17 *O. S.* The Day before Yeſterday we received the News of the Surrender of the Caſtle of Savona, where the Piedmonteſe have taken Priſoners 1400 of the Genoeſe Troops, and found 124 Pieces of Cannon, with the Magazines well provided. We hear alſo, that 4000 Genoeſe, who were advancing in order to raiſe the Siege, have been entirely defeated by the K. of Sardinia's Troops. General de la Rocca having reduced this Place, is marching immediately to Genoa with twenty Battalions of Piedmonteſe Troops, diſarming the Inhabitants of all the Places they paſs through; and the Marquis de Botta is alſo marching from Gavi to bring the Genoeſe to Reaſon.

Chambery, Dec. 22. *O. S.* According to Advices from Italy, the People of Genoa have demanded the Senate to allow them Liberty to chuſe the Doge for the Time to come, as a Recompence for their Zeal and Valour in recovering the Liberty of the Republick. It is alſo ſaid, they inſiſt that the Senate ſhall contract no Alliance with any foreign Power without the Conſent of the People. The laſt Letters ſay, that the Marquis de Botta had been very ſtrongly reinforced, and had drawn near the Defiles of the Bochetta.

Paris, Dec. 26. *O. S.* The Militia begins to be drawn out, and Orders have been ſent to all the Ports, to put the Marine as ſoon as poſſible upon the old Footing. There are actually thirteen Men of War, and ſix Frigates, fitting out at Breſt, beſides a great Number of ſmall Veſſels, the Deſtination of which is not known, and a new Man of War was to be launch'd there towards the End of the Month.

Paris, Dec. 29 *O. S.* The Armament preparing in our Ports occaſions various Speculations, and ſome ſay it is intended for a new Scene of Action in Favour of the Pretender. This Reſolution, 'tis ſaid, has been taken, in order to take Advantage of the Diſcontent of ſome of the Britiſh Subjects, particularly in Scotland and Ireland, who are diſguſted at the rigorous Proceedings againſt the Pretender's Adherents. The laſt Letters from Toulon inform us, that Marſhal Belleiſle had diſtributed large Quantities of Proviſions among his Troops, and intended to ſet out in queſt of the Enemy on the 19th, ſo that News of great Importance is hourly expected.

LONDON, *Jan.* 13.

There are private Letters from Marſeilles, by the laſt Mail, which ſay poſitively, that eight Gallies, with 3300 Men on board, were ſailed for Genoa; and that ten Battalions of Spaniſh Troops were expected there on Chriſtmas Day, in order to embark for the ſame Place, and that it was rumoured an Embarkation was alſo making at Barcelona; but as there are ſeveral Squadrons of Britiſh Ships in thoſe Seas, it is hoped they will fall in with ſome or other of theſe Convoys, and thereby prevent the War from being re-kindled in Italy, which is

the plain Intention of the Courts of Verſailles and Madrid.

The laſt Letters from Vienna ſay, that her Imperial Majeſty had reſolved to ſend General Count Daun to replace the Marquis de Botta, which gave general Satisfaction, Count Daun having been brought up under, and extremely beloved by the late Field-Marſhal Kevenhuller, who left him all his Books, Plans, and Papers, and who recommended him with his laſt Breath to her Imperial Majeſty.

A large Ship from Marſeiles, bound up the Levant, having on board Woollen Cloth, to the Amount of upwards of 50 ,000 Livres, is taken by an Engliſh Man of War and carried to Villafranca.

There is Advice, that three Ships from Bourdeaux for Martinico, with valuable Cargoes, are taken near the latter Place by one of his Majeſty's Ships of War.

The ——, Martin Geary, for Glaſgow, and a Ship bound to Cadix, both from Dantzick, are unfortunately loſt near Maſterland.

A Ship for Dublin from Yarmouth, is taken by the French, and carried into Cherburg.

The firſt Troop of Horſe-Grenadiers have Orders to hold themſelves in Readineſs to attend his Royal Highneſs to Flanders.

A Writ is ordered to be iſſued out, by the Clerk of the Crown, for electing a Member of Parliament for Orkney and Zetland, in the Room of Col. Robert Douglas, who was killed at the Battle of Fontenoy.

Bank Stock 127 1 half. India Stock no Price. South Sea Stock no Price.

EDINBURGH, *January* 19.

On Friday Night Twelve Perſons were apprehended and confined to the City Guard, as guilty of Pilfering and Theft.

The Honourable the Magiſtrates are indefatigably applying themſelves to the Affairs of the City, and have already rectified ſeveral Diſorders.

The Gentlemen of the MUSICAL SOCIETY have appointed a CONCERT for Ladies at Mary's Chapel on Friday next the 23d inſtant. The Members will pleaſe call for their Tickets at Mr. James Carmichael's Writing Chamber in James's Court, Weſt Entry, and fifth Door down-ſtairs. No more than 100 Tickets are to be given out.

Leith, Jan. 19. Arrived the London Packet of Berwick, Scott, from Newcaſtle, the Culloden of Hull, Forſyth, and the Liberty of and from Dunbar, Ferguſon, all with Barley, Cheeſes and Bottles; alſo the Providence of Leith, Cowan, from London under Convoy of the Happy Janet with Stores, Hopps, Cheeſes, Soap, Seeds, &c.

Sailed the Hope of and for Rotterdam, Jacobs, with Lead Ore.

This Day, the 20th Day of the Moon, it is high Water at Leith, Forenoon, at 5 o'clock, 15 M. Afternoon, at 5, 35 M. Tueſday, Forenoon, at 5, 55 M. Afternoon, at 6, 15 M. Wedneſday, Forenoon, at 6, 32 M. Afternoon, at 6, 50 M.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

To be SOLD by way of Roup, on Monday the 26th January current, in the ſecond Story of the Scale ſtair on the Weſt ſide of Old Provoſt Cloſe, at 10 o'Clock Forenoon, and to continue till all be ſold off,

Some fine PERSIAN CARPETS.

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I. SPEECHES in the *Political Club*, by the Gentleman who aſſumes the Character of L—d St—ge, on a Motion for adding a Paragraph to the Addreſs in anſwer to the King's Speech; and by thoſe who aſſume the Characters of H—y P—m, Eſq; Sir W—m Y—ge, L—d St—ge in relation to the War on the Continent, and the hiring 18000 Hanoverians.—II. Lord H—g—n's Letter to the Dutch Miniſters and the Anſwer of the S—s G—l, previous to the opening of laſt Campaign.—III. The Speech of M—r ——n, the firſt Day of the preſent Seſſion.—IV. *Electrical Experiments and Obſervations.* Abſtract of a Letter from Prof. de Boze; Extracts of Mr. Watſon's Treatiſe; A Deſcription of M. Monier's Apparatus, and the ſurpriſing Phænomena produced by it.—V. Abſtract of Admiral Leſtock's Sentence, and of the Charge againſt Adm. Mathews, and his Anſwer.—VI. Mr. Trevor's Memorial to the States General, on his taking leave.—VII. *Poetical Eſſays.* Advice to the fair Sex; The Thief; Horace Book 1. Ode 11 imitated; Nature and Art, &c.—VIII. The Account of the young Pretender's Eſcape, concluded.—IX. Deſcription of the Fortifications in Provence, called Frontier-places.—X. *Foreign and Domeſtick Hiſtory.* An Account of the paſſing of the Var by the Auſtrians, and of the Inſurrection at Genoa; Proceedings againſt the Rebels at St. Margaret's Hill, and againſt Lord Lovat; Abſtract of the Anſwers for Capt. Hamilton to the Complaint of Mr. Ogilvy of Coul and the Interlocutor pronounced in the Cauſe; Deaths, Preferments, New Books, &c.

¶¶ *HENRY HALYBURTON* Writer in Edinburgh having died about two Months ago, the Rights to his Executry are now compleat in the Perſon of *HENRY GECKIE* Merchant in Dundee, his Nephew: And this ſerves to adverteiſe all thoſe who had Buſineſs depending upon Mr. Halyburton, or Papers in his Cuſtody, and who have not as yet heard of his Death, that they may now receive up what Papers were in his Hands from *DAVID JOBSON* Writer, at the Writing chamber of Mr. Laurence Craigie Writer to the Signet in James's Court, Weſt Entry, they paying in to the ſaid David Jobſon what Money is reſting upon them. And

As there are a good many pretty large Debts owing to Mr. Halyburton by People in the Lothians, Angus-ſhire, and other Places, it is expected that his Debitors will, without further Notice, call for Mr. Geckie at his Houſe in Dundee, or for the ſaid David Jobſon at the aforeſaid Writing-chamber, as is moſt convenient for them, and either pay up what Money they are reſting to Mr. Halyburton, or renew

the Securities for the ſame payable to Mr. Geckie himſelf.

N. B. Mr. Jobſon will ſatisfy thoſe who call at him of the Sufficiency of his Powers, for receiving Payment of Money, and diſcharging the ſame.

To be SETT or SOLD, and entred to immediately,

A convenient LODGING in the Worlds end cloſe, (the ſecond within the Netherbow-port, South ſide of the Street, Edinburgh) being a whole Tenement entring by itſelf, and containing Dining-room, Drawing room, five Bed rooms, and a good Kitchen, and Cellars, with Pantries, Cloſets and other Accommodations, and a large Area or Piece of waſte Ground to the North of the Tenement. —It is inſured in the firſt Claſs of the Edinburgh Friendly Inſurance, and the Præmium paid.—The Key lies in the Houſe of White, next Door to the Lodging. And any Perſon inclining to become Tenant or Purchaſer, will be informed by Andrew Chalmer Writer, at his Houſe in Jackſon's Cloſe, oppoſite to the Guard, as to Rental, Progreſs and Conditions of Sale.

¶S¶ The Heritors of the Shire of Edinburgh are deſired to meet in the Parliament-houſe on Thurſday the 22d inſtant, at 3 in the Afternoon, to concert an Application to Parliament, for a Power to erect Turnpikes for levying a Toll to be applied for repairing the high Roads within the Shire.

¶ That the bygone Arrears of Rents and Feu duties, due by the Tenants and Feuars of the Eſtate of Preſtongrange, are to be expoſed to Sale by way of publick Roup, by Warrant of the Lords of Council and Seſſion, upon Thurſday the 22d Day of January current, betwixt the Hours of 3 and 5 Afternoon, in the Parliament-houſe, before one of the ſaid Lords. The Accompts and Inſtructions of the ſaid Arrears of Rents and Feu duties, with the Articles and Conditions of Roup, are to be ſeen in the Hands of Thomas Bruce one of the Under-clerks of Seſſion, at any time before the Roup.

To be SOLD by publick Roup on Monday the 26th current, at Two o'Clock Afternoon, in a Cellar in George Milne's Cloſe, Quality-ſtreet, Leith,

Eighteen Butts fine old ZERY, and twelve Butts old MOUNTAIN. The Articles and Conditions of Roup to be ſeen at William Bell's Wine-cooper in Leith, who will alſo let the Wines be taſted any Time before the Roup.

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†¶† That *DUNCAN WRIGHT* hath imported to Leith a large Parcel of the beſt OLD SALT made in the Frith of Forth, and propoſes to ſell the ſame either in Wholeſale or Retail, at the General Salt-Office within the Head of Niddry's Wynd, Edinburgh, or at his Shop oppoſite to the Cuſtom-houſe in Leith, where Country Carriers or others may be ſerved at 2 s. Sterl. the Buſhel.

N. B. At both the above mentioned Places, where cloſe Attendance will be given may alſo be had, Lil MONS and CHESNUTS at the loweſt Rates, in Cheſts or Retail, and BARLEY of every Quality, in Wholeſale or Retail, at the very loweſt Rates.

To be expoſed to Sale, by Authority of the Lords of Seſſion within the Parliament houſe of Edinburgh upon the 6th of February 1747, betwixt the Hours of 2 and 4 in the Afternoon,

The Lands and others under-written viz. The Seventeen Merk Land of *NEWLAW* and *MUNKS MUIR*, with the Teinds thereof included; The Forty Shilling Land of *BALMANGAN*; The Five Merk Land of *NETHERRERICK*; The Merk Land of *AIRDS*, and the Half of the Five Pound Land of *CASTLE CREAVIE*, with their Pertinents, Houſes and Yards, in the Abbacy of Dundrenan, &c. which formerly belonged to Maxwell of Newlaw, and that jointly or ſeparately, as Purchaſers ſhall incline. The ſaid whole Lands, &c. ly in the Pariſh of Rerrick and Stewartry of Kirkcudbright, and hold Feu of the Crown. The Progreſs of Writs, Rental, Articles and Conditions of the Roup are to be ſeen in the Hands of Thomas Gibſon one of the Depute Clerks of Seſſion, any Time before the ſaid Day of Roup.

To be SOLD by publick voluntary Roup on Wedneſday the 21ſt of January inſt. between the Hours of 3 and 5 in the Afternoon, in the Laigh Coffee-houſe in Edinburgh,

The Lands and Barony of HUNDHILSHOPE, lying in the Pariſh of Manner and Sheriffdom of Peebles, on the River Tweed, 18 Miles South from Edinburgh, holding Taxtward of the Crown, paying of yearly free Rent 111 l. 17 s. 11 d. Sterl. beſides ſome Superiorities, entitled to an indiſputable Vote, as well from the Valuation of 407 l. as from a large old Extent.

The Rental, Progreſs of Writs and Conditions of Sale are to be ſeen in the Hands of William Lumiſden Writer in Edinburgh, at his Houſe within the Head of Marlin's Wynd.

Any Perſon inclining to purchaſe before the ſaid Day Roup, the whole Barony, or theſe Parts thereof called *Halyards*, *Milton* and *Bellenrig*, the yearly free Rent whereof is about 52 l. Sterling, may commune with the ſaid William Lumiſden, or the Proprietor at Halyards.

There is a convenient Houſe lately built, with good Office-houſes and a Kitchen Garden at Halyards, and there are ſeveral Thouſands of thriving young Planting, of ſeveral Sorts of Timber, and a little Buſh of natural Alder about Halyards and Milton, moſt Part thereof being fit for cutting. The whole Barony is well provided with Peat and Turf.

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